

## JACOBI PROPERTY SOLD AT AUCTION

Prizes Awarded to Successful Pupils at Linticum Institute.

The property belonging to the Jacobi estate has been sold at public auction. The two small frame dwellings, 135 and 137 Thirty-fourth street, northwest, were knocked down to James A. Keller, of 1515 Wisconsin avenue, for \$1,500. The house at 2412 Prospect avenue northwest, was bought by A. W. Hurley for \$2,000, and the two-story bay window brick dwelling at 2909 Olive avenue northwest, was sold to William Garrity for \$2,150. Gordon & Gordon, trustees, represented the estate.

John H. Leonard, an old and well-known resident of the First ward, died Tuesday at the Georgetown University Hospital. Mr. Leonard was for many years night watchman at Riggs' National Bank. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Margaret Leonard, and several grown children.

The funeral will be held Friday morning from St. Stephen's Catholic Church, Twenty-fifth street and Pennsylvania avenue.

Henry Coppertite Builds Dwellings.

Henry Coppertite has completed the erection of two colonial brick houses on the south side of O street, between Wisconsin avenue and Thirty-first street northwest.

The contractor was Richard Ough.

The thirty-third annual commencement of Linticum Institute of Georgetown was held Tuesday night at Linticum Hall on O street. The exercises opened with a farce in two scenes entitled "Quash," which was followed by two short sketches, "The Second Table" and "Not in the Regular Army."

At the close of the program, William A. Gordon, one of the trustees of the school, awarded prizes to the successful pupils as follows:

The Prize Winners.

First prize, \$5 in gold, to Robert L. Phelps, second, \$3 in gold, Francis P. O'Callaghan; third, \$5 in gold, John Harper; special prize, set of drawing instruments, John J. Schneider; special mention, Charles H. Steinbraker, H. Saks, D. Fullerton, Phelps, John T. Hayes, William Sullivan, J. Arthur Probst, Clifford Harper and Tracey Bennett, L. E. Moore, R. B. Phelps, W. S. Phelps, H. Steinbraker and Howard Beach.

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## Accused Lumber Shark Held Again With a Brand-New Swindling Scheme

A fraud order has been issued by the Postmaster General against Charles G. Horton, of New York, who has been conducting an alleged large lumber swindling scheme.

The order covers the names of the Consumers Lumber Company, the Producers Lumber Company, and the Riverside Lumber Company, at 113 West Twenty-third street, 110 West Thirty-fourth street, and 119 West Thirty-ninth street, New York city.

Horton, who is said to be well known to have a record with both the police and postal authorities at New York, has been engaged, it is alleged, for the last year in operating through the mails a scheme to defraud lumbermen throughout the country, using the corporate name of the Consumers Lumber Company, under which he mailed to lumber and mill men pamphlets entitled "Log Run."

Advertised Long Career.

It was set out in the pamphlets that the company was organized in 1881 with a capital stock of \$125,000, and that it was engaged in selling lumber direct from the mill to consumers, thus saving to the mill men the profits of the speculator, the wholesaler, and the retailer. Consignments of lumber were solicited for sale on a commission basis for the account of the consignee. It was brought out in the investigation that the company had only been established a year, and that the paid-in capital was only \$1,000.

It is also said that Horton was arrested in 1900 for his connection with the Manhattan Lumber Company, against which the department issued a fraud order. He has been arrested several times for defrauding people who shipped him lumber to sell. The last time he was arrested he was held in \$2,000 bail, and at the present time is "on city limits."

About eighty complaints against Horton and his company have been filed by lumber dealers in North Carolina, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Ohio, and Vermont.

Horton was arrested again April 15, and held under \$2,000 bail. Previous to his arrest he caused the company to be placed in the hands of a receiver.

named by himself, which was done in an attempt to avoid civil suits and the criminal proceedings instituted by the Federal authorities.

"Trust" Man Under Ban.

A fraud order has also been issued against Justus J. Evans, at 23 Ridge avenue, Ashbury Park, N. J. Evans was put under the department ban at Philadelphia, Pa., in July of last year, when he was conducting the Holy United Royal Trust Company, which, notwithstanding its assuring name, was found to be an unholy combination. He sought to revive the business at his new address.

The ban has been lifted from Leon M. Hutchins, at Whitman Mass., who got in bad with the department while operating a scheme under the name of the American Photographer. Hutchins pleaded guilty to the indictment, and also abandoned his scheme a short time before his arrest. He has also filed an affidavit that he will not resume the business or anyone similar.

SALE OF HOUSE RECORDED.

Harry Wardman has sold to Prof. John Finklin the dwelling 223 Fifteenth street northwest. The sale was made by Ross & Pielips.

J. R. Murdock has sold through Stone & Fairfax the three-story brick dwelling, 1509 Rhode island avenue northwest. The house has twelve rooms, and was purchased for occupancy by Washington business men. It is opposite the residence of Secretary of State Root.

See the Crack Sprinters and Strong Distance Runners. At Preston University School Field and Track Meet.

WATCH THE BASEBALL GAME. St. Stephen's Institute, of the Capital City League vs. Commissioners, of Marquette League.

The Washington-Boston game will be reported by inning. American League Park, Decoration Day, May 30th, at 2:30 P. M.

m, 28-31

Open Late Friday Evening.

Open 'Till 1 P. M. Saturday

## Timely and Tempting Values in Boys' Wear

Boys' \$3.50 & \$2.90

\$4.50 Suits for \$2.90

Dressy, well tailored double breasted Suits for Boys 7 to 16 years of age; a pair of straight pants and a pair of knickerbockers with each suit; choice of a variety of new patterns in worsteds, chevrons and cassimeres; regular \$3.50 and \$4.50 values; special for Friday and Saturday, \$2.90.

Boys' \$3.50

Reefers for \$1.95

Lot of Shepherd plaid and tan Covert Reefers for Boys; sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. Regular \$3.50 value, reduced to \$1.95.

Boys' \$2 & \$2.50

Knee Pants \$1.25

These Knee Pants for Boys were made up of the ends of the best fabrics used in this season's output of suits. A wide variety of choice patterns. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Regular \$2 and \$2.50 values, special for \$1.25.

Boys' Wash

Knickerbockers \$1.25

Lot of Boys' wash Knickerbockers in white duck, brown crash, linen and khaki. Sizes 7 to 17 years. Regular \$1 value; special for 65c.

Boys' Blouse

Shirts for \$1.25

Lot of Boys' Blouses and Neglige Shirts in plain white and neat fancy effects; some slightly defective; regular 50c and 75c value; special for 25c.

Boys' Black Cat

Hose \$1.25

A new departure in the famous Black Cat Hose for Boys. Special quality, fast black, double heel and toe and extensive double knee; special per pair, 12 1/2c.

Children's \$1.50

Barefoot Sandals, \$1.00

Special lot of Misses and Children's Pussia Calf Barefoot Sandals—cool, comfortable, sensible footwear for warm weather wear; regular \$1.50 value; per pair, \$1.00.

Children's \$1.25

White Canvas Ties, 95c

Special lot of 3-eyelet White Canvas Ties for Misses and Children—the dressiest summer footwear to be had. All sizes; regular \$1.25 value; special per pair, 95c.

Men's \$2.00 and

\$2.50 Straw

Hats for \$1.65

A big line of Men's Sennit, China Split, and Milan Braid Straw Hats in all the new wide and medium brim yachts and soft Milan models in all proportions. A becoming hat for every man. All sizes. Regular \$2 and \$2.50 values; special for \$1.65.

Good News for Decoration Day Fishermen

Shakespeare Universal Reels.....

Catalogue Price..... \$1.50 and \$1.75

For Friday and Saturday..... \$1.15 and \$1.35

Shakespeare Favorite Reels.....

Catalogue Price..... \$2.25 and \$2.50

For Friday and Saturday..... \$1.65 and \$1.85

Shakespeare Service Reels.....

Catalogue Price..... \$3.50 and \$4.00

For Friday and Saturday..... \$2.65 and \$3.15

Shakespeare Standard Reels.....

Catalogue Price..... \$5.00 and \$6.00

For Friday and Saturday..... \$4.15 and \$4.50

Shakespeare Professional Jeweled Caps

Catalogue Price..... \$10.50 and \$11.00

For Friday and Saturday..... \$7.35 and \$8.25

Steel Rods

Steel Rods, with plain guides. Regular \$1.65

value \$2.50. Special.....

Steel Rods, with German Silver Trumpet

Guides. Regular value \$4.00. Special.....

Steel Rods, with Agate first guide and

Agate tip. Regular value \$5.00. Special.....

Steel Rods, with all Agate Guides. Regular

value \$6.00. Special.....

Fishermen's Supplies

Kingfisher Black Waterproof Lines. Special for

Friday and Saturday. 25 yds. for.....

Double Snell Hooks. Special, doz.....

Enamelled Wood Minnows, each.....

Patent Wire Folding Crab Traps, each.....

Aluminum Leader Boxes.....

Fish Stringers.....

Remnants in Oil Silk Lines, in 5 to 15 yard

pieces.....

Collapsible Net Frames.....

Umbrella Nets.....

A lot of Rods with one tip and no case.

\$1.50 to \$4.00 values. Special.....

A lot of \$1.00 Rods for.....

50c

## DAN CUPID'S INDEX IS CLOSED FOREVER

Marriage License Book No. 86 Laid Away on Musty Bureau Shelf.

Marriage license book No. 86 is no more. It has been gathered away and packed with its predecessors, on the musty shelves around the marriage license office.

To Ernest F. Bankmann falls the credit for using the final sheet in book No. 86. With Annie N. Sanders he appeared in the office and made application for the license, which ended the usefulness of the book. Bankmann and his fiancée came from Great Falls. They will be married in this city by the Rev. Enoch Schroeder.

Two members of the same family made applications yesterday for marriage licenses. Harvey T. Hodge, requesting a license to wed May E. Brinkley, and Edward C. Roberts asking for a license to wed Nettie E. Hodge.

With the exception of Miss Brinkley, the party halls from Warm Springs, Va. The double wedding will be performed by the Rev. John T. Frantz.

Following our usual plan for the summer months, we will resume these popular Bargain Friday Piano Sales. On Fridays of each week we propose to offer a few special bargains, pricing them much lower than they can be bought for at any other time.

There is a two-fold purpose in this: It advertises us, and at the same time proves conclusively which advertising is most effective.

The prices placed on these Friday Pianos are by no means their real value. We price them low enough to insure their sale. We cut the prices usually in half or very nearly so.

There are certain conditions which you must comply with, or we reserve the right to refuse to sell the piano at the Friday price:

You must mention where you saw this adv.

No pianos will be taken in exchange for one of these Friday pianos.

The same piano will positively not be sold the next day at the Friday price.

Friday Bargain Pianos will not be duplicated at the Friday price on any other day.

For Tomorrow:

\$275 Dark Mahog. \$145

Upright.....

\$300 Fancy Mahog. \$155

Upright.....

\$300 Dark Mahog. \$168

Upright.....

\$325 Rich Mahog. \$175

Upright.....

W. F. FREDERICK

D. G. PFEIFFER, Manager.

1328 F Street.

## BOY ELECTROCUTED, BUT WILL RECOVER

ATLANTIC CITY, May 28.—Walter Owens, hustling little newsboy, is alive to tell how it feels to be electrocuted. This lad was on the roof of the pavilion of Young's Pier when he stumbled over a live electric light wire, the current in which is estimated to be fully 10,000 volts.

Owens yelled and writhed and finally rolled away from the deadly coil, but frightened spectators expected to see him go up in a flash. He was hurried to the City Hospital, however, and soon regained consciousness and will recover.

## Bargain Friday Pianos

## In California

you may wander for a year and never tire for a moment. It's a place to interest you, rest you, cure you, by making you forget yourself. Just try it. Write me now for further information.

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830 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Amusements.

Evenings, 25c to 75c. Mats. Wed. and Sat. 15c.

Mr. Standish's Last Week at the Belasco. Next Week at the Columbia Theater, in "IMPRUDENCE."

Seats now on sale at Smith's, 111 F Street. BELASCO Starting next Monday, June 1. RETURN OF WASHINGTON'S FAVORITE ACTRESS.

CHARLOTTE WALKER And a SPECIAL COMPANY, in "A COUNTRY MOUSE."

PRICES, EVENINGS, 25c to 75c. MATS., WED. AND SAT., 25c AND 50c.

Gaiety Theatre - 9th St. Near F The Coolest Place of Amusement in the City. ALL THIS WEEK—MATINEES EVERY DAY.

CHAS. H. WALDRON'S TROUPE OF BURLINGUES. Friday Night, Chorus Girls' Contest. Everything New, Up-to-date. The Audience to be the Judge. Popular Prices. Smoking. Concerts. Next Week—Bon Ton Burlesquers. my28-31

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Pretty Girls. Funny Comedians. Full of Life, Action, and Comedy. Next Week—The Vagabond Burlesquers. my28-31

Glen Echo Open Evenings. Grand Opening Decoration Day. my28-31

Grand May Carnival. Reappearance of CORA B. SHREVE and a Full Class of Performers, in OPERA LEONORA

Including the Talented Little Singers, SELMA SELINGER and ESTELLE MURRAY.

New National Theater. FRIDAY, MAY 29, 7 P. M.

Admission, 25c and 50c.

No extra charge reserved seats, at Box Office, Theater, May 28, 9 a. m.